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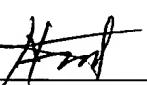
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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION****FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)***Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*



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PATENT

Agent's Docket No. 11585-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
DeGRANDPRE, Marcel et al )  
Serial No: 09/885,062 ) Art Unit: 2661  
Filed: 21-June-2001 ) Examiner:  
For: STANDBY REDUNDANCY IN IMA )

September 11, 2001

Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks  
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### **TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir:

Submitted herewith are the following documents:

- Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (in duplicate)
- Copy of Notice To File Missing Parts Under 37 CFR 1.53(b)
- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- General Transmittal Letter
- Certified Copy of British Application No. 0015589.5
- Check in the amount of \$130.00

Respectfully submitted,

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**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application  
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**11585-US**

In Re Application Of:

**Marcel DeGRANDPRE et al**

Serial No. <b>09/885,062</b>	Filing Date <b>21-June-2001</b>	Examiner	Group Art Unit <b>2661</b>
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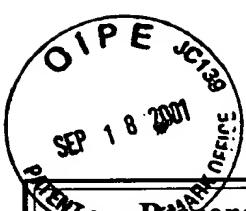
**STANDBY REDUNDANCY IN IMA**

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERFOR PATENTS:**  
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This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) mailed on  
08/10/2001  
Date

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). **(REQUIRED)**
- An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- Other (list):



 <b>Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application</b> <b>Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)</b>		Docket No. <b>11585-US</b>
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<b>Invention:</b> <b>STANDBY REDUNDANCY IN IMA</b>		
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<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Completion of application fees as calculated below:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Utility application filing fee _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Design application filing fee _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Total number of independent claims = _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Total number of claims = _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Multiple dependent claims _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath <b>\$130.00</b> _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Fee for processing and retention of application _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Total completion of application fees</b> <b>\$130.00</b> _____</p>		
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> One month      <input type="checkbox"/> Two months      <input type="checkbox"/> Three months      <input type="checkbox"/> Four months      <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: _____ <i>Date</i>      until: _____ <i>Date</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total time extension fees _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Total fees due <b>\$130.00</b> _____</p>		



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The fee of \$130.00 is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-1717  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.  
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